

Friday 5 September 2025

Weekly Newsletter Upcoming Dates

September

9th Curriculum Evening, 18.00 & 18.45
11th Staff INSET Day - school closed to pupils
15th-17th Year 5P Scout Centre Residential Trip
16th Year 6 Teas & Tours at JCG
17th-19th Year 5CJ Scout Centre Residential Trip
17th PTA AGM & Meeting
24th School Individual Photographs
25th Pupil Nasal Flu Vaccinations
30th Year 5 Jersey Museum visit and Town Walk

October

1st Year 5 & 6 Primary School Open Cross Country, 13.00-14.00, Les Quennevais
10th PTA Disco, Time TBA, Hall
20th Parent Teacher Consulations, 17.00-19.00
23rd Parent Teacher Consulations, 15.00-18.00
27th-31st Half term - school closed

November

13th Choir Eisteddfod, St Helier Methodist Church 13th Year 5 Assembly, 14.00, Hall 21st Children in Need Celebrations

December

3rd Reception Nativity, 13.30, Hall
4th Reception Nativity, 13.30, Hall
5th Year 3 Swimming Gala
9th Key Stage 2 Carol Service, 18.00, Methodist Church
10th Year 4 Swimming Gala, Langford
12th Year 2 Production, 9.00 & 13.30, Hall
16th Year 1 Christmas Singing, 9.00 & 13.30, Hall
18th Christmas Party Day
18th Last day of term

To help working parents we have added the dates for the school year to our website.

^{*}Date change

Headteacher's Message

Welcome Back!

I hope you all enjoyed a wonderfully sunny summer holiday and had plenty of time to relax. It was such a pleasure to welcome back all of our children on Wednesday — even if the return to school was accompanied by wind and rain rather than sunshine!

The children have come back full of energy, sharing their summer stories with great enthusiasm, and have already settled beautifully into their new classes. We are also delighted to welcome our new Reception children, as well as those who have joined us across other year groups. We look forward to seeing them thrive as part of our school family.

The start of a new school year always brings with it a sense of excitement, adventure, and possibility. We have lots to look forward to in the months ahead — from new learning opportunities and creative projects, to events and celebrations that bring us together as a community.

Here's to another fantastic year of fun, discovery, and achievement for all of our children.

MrsPrecious

Curriculum Evening

We are looking forward to welcoming you to our Curriculum Evening on **Tuesday 9th September.** This is a valuable opportunity to meet your child's teacher, gain an overview of the curriculum, and understand the specific expectations for the year ahead.

To accommodate families with children in different year groups, there will be two sessions:

6:00pm

6:45pm

You are welcome to attend whichever session suits you best.

Sessions will be held in one of the classrooms within the relevant year group area, so please go directly to your child's year group once inside.

Parking will be available in the main College car park. Entry to the school will be through the main school office only.

Please note: children should not attend the sessions or be on school premises during this time. However, if anyone is struggling for childcare please do let us know. We strongly encourage all parents to attend.



School Reminders

School Website



Just a reminder that lots of useful information, including the most recent Curriculum and Transition Organisation Letters for each year group, can be found on our school website jcp.sch.je.

We encourage all parents to check the site regularly.

Nasal Influenza Programme

Please complete the online consent form, if you have not already done so.

Nasal Influenza Vaccination Consent Form

Any queries or concerns relating to the Autumn nasal influenza programme taking place in school on 25th September or the online consent form please contact the immunisation team on 443741 or

immunisationteam@health.gov.je



Monday

Year 3 & 4 Football Club	12.30-12.55	Hall
Year 6 Netball Club	15.00-16.15	Netball Court

Tuesday

Year 2 Just Dance Group 1	12.00-12.30	Hall

Wednesday

Year 3 & 4Multi Sports Club Group 1	12.00-12.30	Hall
Year 5 & 6 Football Club Group 1	15.00-16.15	Heathfield
Year 5 & 6 Hockey Club	15.00-16.15	Claremont Astro

Thursday

Year 2 Football Club starts 18th September	12.00-12.30	Hall
Year 5 Netball Club Group 1 starts 18 th September	15.00-16.15	Netball Court







Music Clubs



Monday

Ukulele Club	15.00-16.00	Garden Chalet

Tuesday

String Ensemble	12.30-12.55	Music Room
Senior Choir	15.00-16.00	School Hall

Wednesday

Junior Choir (Year 3 & 4)	12.30-12.55	Music Room	
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Thursday

Signing Choir	8.00-8.30	Music Room
Wind Ensemble	12.30-12.55	Music Room

Friday

JCP Orchestra	8.00-8.45	Music Room	
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Music Clubs

All music clubs will be running this coming week. Just a reminder that Strings and Wind ensembles are open to all strings (violin, viola and cello) and woodwind and brass (clarinet, flute, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, French Horn) players.

Senior choir (Year 5 and 6) is full, I'm afraid I do not have capacity for new members to sign up.

There is very limited space in Junior Choir (Year 3 and 4). Please email me by return at j.tieppo@jcp.sch.je if you wish to register your child – the sign-up form is closed.







It is important that if your child attends any music lunchtime music club, they must bring a **packed lunch** so that they arrive on time for the start of the club. Hot lunches take a little longer and mean that the children miss the start of the session.

Please note that Signing choir (open to years 3-6) will run on a Thursday morning from 8.00-8.30am in the music room. The children will learn to sign songs using Makaton.







Instrumental lessons

All instrumental lessons will begin this week. Timetables and room locations are displayed in the shared areas in KS2. Please remind your child of the day and time of their lesson. If your child is in Year 3, their music teacher will collect them from the classroom for their first lesson.

Please contact Emily de Gruchy at Polyphony for any timetable queries, or the Jersey Music Serice for any JMS timetabling issues.









SAVE THE DATE!

Creative Minds holiday camp will be returning for spooky thrills this October half-term from Monday 27th to Friday 31st October! More information will be released in the next couple of weeks so keep an eye out on https://jerseycollegeforgirls.com/pages/jc-foundation/creativeminds/creative-minds-camp



We have a large and varied team of tutors specializing in strings, woodwind, brass, vocals, piano and music theory. We are particularly looking for students to learn the following

Viola

instruments:

- Cello
- Double Bass
- Bass Guitar
- French Horn
- Trumpet
- Trombone
- Voice (Classical/MT/Pop/Rock)
- Piano

Instruments are available for hire for a termly fee.

If your child is interested, please complete this application form.

Further information regarding music tuition can be found here. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to our Foundation Administrator at polyphony@jcgfoundation.com

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Follow us on social media for regular updates about the Foundation activities











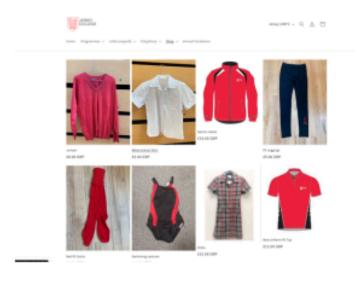


Founders Lunch

Calling all Alumni!

We will be celebrating the founding of our College on Friday 19th September 2025 with lunch in College Hall. If you wish to attend, please email enquiries@jcgfoundation.com with your full name, the year you left and any dietary requirements.





Second-hand uniform

Did you know the Foundation sells second-hand uniform on its online shop? Visit this page to see a selection of jumpers, shirts, dresses, skirts and PE equipment.

Prepare 2026

Prepare Revision School will be returning Monday 13th to Friday 17th April 2026 (inclusive) for GCSE and A-level revision. Bookings will open at a later date. Visit this page for more information.

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Follow us on social media for regular updates about the Foundation activities











Motion Studio After School Club offers a combination of art and animation activities, from learning digital art programs on iPads to hands-on drawing skills with pencils, pens, and comic markers. Stop-frame animation with LEGO and other materials is also a great way to build creativity and focus. All materials and technology are provided, though we recommend bringing a couple of LEGO figures and a memory stick.

Art and Animation Club / 12-week course

 Friday, 12th September 12th - Friday 5th December (excluding Half Term)

• Time: 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

• Club Fees: £170

Please click here for more information and sign-up:

<u>Motion Studio Afterschool Club</u>



JCP SCHOOL - AUTUMN TERM 2025

Tuesdays

7.45am-8.30am Reception, Year 1 & 2

Thursdays

3pm-4pm Reception

Mondays

3pm-4pm Year 2



Fridays

3pm-4pm Year 1 & 2 **Tuesdays**

3pm-4pm

Year 1

Thursdays

4pm-5pm Year 4, 5 & 6 (Girls only)





Samurai Kickboxing – Back This September!

Is your child ready to boost their confidence, build focus and stay fit — all while learning Kickboxing?

Join Our Exciting Kickboxing classes!

With over 12 years' experience and 1,500+ students across Jersey and the UK, Samurai Kickboxing delivers high-quality sessions that help children thrive.

JCP

Day & Time: Mondays 7.45 – 8.45am

Dates: 8th Sept - 13th Oct & 3rd Nov - 1st Dec

Years: Year 1,2,3,4,5 and 6 Cost: £120.01 for the term

Sibling discount: 15% (for 3 or more children)

Multi-class discount: 25% off a second weekly class (excl. Elite)

New to Samurai? Try a Class for FREE!

We'd love to welcome your child to a free trial.

Book your free session or secure your space for the term now.

Returning Students – Time to Re-Enrol

Secure your child's place before it fills up:

Log in to our Parent Portal

Select Classes > Enrol

Find your class & Add to Enrolment List > Confirm

Tip: Download the *Class Manager – Customer Portal* app for quick access!

Click the link below for more information and to enrol:

Samurai Kickboxing





ADVICE SESSIONS FOR PARENTS

We know that parenting after separation can feel overwhelming at times. That's why we've teamed up with the **Jersey Family Court Advisory Service (JFCAS)** to offer free, confidential one-to-one appointments for parents and carers.

What JFCAS can do:

- Listen and talk through the challenges of co-parenting
- Share options to help you move forward as a separated family
- Offer advice on creating safe, child-focused arrangements
- Explain how children's needs are considered in Family Court proceedings

What JFCAS can't do:

- Provide legal advice
- Take on casework outside of Family Court
- Make decisions for you but they will help you explore your choices

These sessions are a chance to get clear, independent advice to help you make the best decisions for your children and your family.

Scan or click here to book











BREAKING BARRIERS



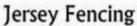


ALLMATTERSNEURODIVERSE Sport, fitness & wellbeing event

with James Hadley-Piggin



Sun. 14th September 10.00 -16.00 FB Fields, St. Clement







See what Jersey's sport & fitness world has to offer but equally, show what YOU can do!

We strongly encourage Neurodivergent people to attend





JERSEY SPORT



In aid of













RBC Race for the Kids is a global initiative that brings communities together to run, walk, wheel and scoot, all in support of youth charities, Globally, there are 29 races and more than \$100m CAD has been raised to-date!

This year sees RBC Race for the Kids return to Jersey for the first time since 2021, taking place on **Sunday 21 September** as part of the Supertri Triathlon event, in which RBC is delighted to be the official Community Partner.

We are excited to return to Waterfront Gardens this September where families, friends and colleagues will take on the 2.5k, 5k and brand new 10k distance in support of our charity partner Jersey Child Care Trust.

Anyone can take part, it's not just for kids. Let's set up our children for a thriving future - so register your interest now and support RBC Race for the Kids today!

For more information and to sign up please click here.